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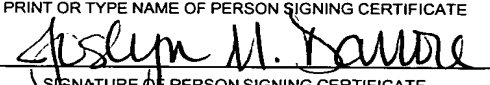
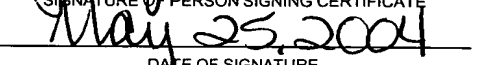
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Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, the Examiner's attention is directed to the information identified in the attached Form PTO 1449.

A copy of all cited patents and printed publications is enclosed. The Examiner is requested to review each reference and formulate his own understanding thereof.

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In view of the length of time which has elapsed since the last action, Applicant(s) hereby request to be informed as to the status of the above-identified application.

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Please contact my Assistant, Joslyn Damore at (989) 638-7868 if you wish to provide the status via telephone.

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